

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

In re:

Frantz Antoine,  
  
Debtor.

Case No. 22-13407-amc

Chapter 13

**Order Granting Application for Compensation**

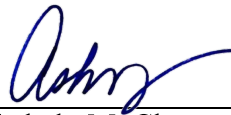
**AND NOW, WHEREAS:**

- A. The Debtor's counsel ("the Applicant") has filed an Application for Allowance of Compensation ("the Application").
- B. The Application is being considered following the dismissal of this case consistent with *In re Lewis*, [346 B.R. 89](#) (Bankr. E.D. Pa. 2006).
- C. The Applicant requests that pre-confirmation plan payments held by the chapter 13 trustee be distributed to the Applicant.
- D. The Applicant has certified that proper service has been made on all interested parties and that there has been no response filed.
- E. The Debtor paid the Applicant \$1,000.00 in compensation before the commencement of the case.
- F. Reasonable and allowable compensation is equal to or exceeds the sum of the pre-petition retainer and the amount of money presently held by the chapter 13 trustee (i.e., \$736.00).

It is therefore **ORDERED** and **DETERMINED** that:

- 1. The Application is **GRANTED**.
- 2. Compensation is allowed in favor of the Applicant, but it is unnecessary for the court to determine that the requested compensation be allowed in a specific amount.
- 3. The Chapter 13 Trustee is authorized and directed to distribute to the Applicant as an administrative expense pursuant to [11 U.S.C. §1326\(b\)](#), [11 U.S.C. §507](#), [11 U.S.C. §503\(b\)](#) and [11 U.S.C. §330\(a\)\(4\)\(B\)](#), all funds in his possession that are available for distribution to the Applicant.

Date: Jan. 17, 2024



Ashely M. Chan  
U.S. Bankruptcy Judge